

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

MAR 06 2007

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

First-Named Inventor: FRANCISCUS

BUDZELAAR

Application No.: 10/537,670 Conf.: 5151

Date Filed: 06/06/2005

Atty Docket No.: NL021239US

Art Unit: 2819

Examiner: JEAN PIERRE PEGUY

Title: NON-LINEAR DISTRIBUTION OF VOLTAGE STEPS IN FLASH-TYPE A/D  
CONVERTERS

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Arlington, VA 22313-1450

## NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated 12/06/2006 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 18, 19, and 25-28.

- Please charge the fee of \$500.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-4019.  
 No additional fee is required, because the fee was paid in a prior appeal.

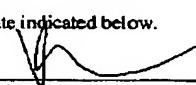
Please charge any fees which may be required, except the issue fee, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-4019.

Date: MAR - 3 - 2007

Respectfully submitted,

By

*Michael J. Ure*  
 Michael J. Ure, Reg. No. 33,089  
 NXP B.V. Intellectual Property Department  
 1109 McKay Drive, M/S-41SJ  
 San Jose, CA 95131  
 (408) 474-9077

<b>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION</b>	
<p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage for first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Arlington, VA 22313-1450".  <b>-OR-</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> facsimile transmitted to the USPTO, on the date indicated below.</p>	
(Date)	<u>3/6/07</u>
(Signature)	
(Name)	Vilimana Naga

C:\Documents and Settings\usb02034\My Documents\Notice of Appeal NXP.doc

03/07/2007 11:11 580.00 DA  
01 FC:1401 00000047 584019 10537678